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Shrynne Bertha Chong Shepard,

38, a secretary in the office of science technology at the White House, died Jan. 2 at the Reston emergency access facility of Fairfax Hospital of cardiac arrest brought on by an acute asthma attack.

Mrs. Shepard, a resident of Herndon since 1981, had worked at the White House for the past few months and had previously worked at the FBI and the Central Intelligence Agency.

She was born in Honolulu and before moving to Herndon had accompanied her husband, John, a retired Army major, on military assignments around the world.

In addition to her husband, of Herndon, she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam J.P. Chong, a sister, Karynne Chong Morgan, and a brother, Kennard Chong, all of Aiea, Hawaii.